

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The mechanical combination described here is a hybrid inter-convertible shopping basket and wheeled vehicle. These combination shopping basket/vehicles are carried by a handle or strap, but may be interconverted at the customer's signal to wheeled baskets while continuing to shop. On wheels, these hybrids are generally freestanding, level, elevated to a convenient height, and can be rolled from place to place. These hybrids are specially adapted for a unique method of shopping, which also forms the basis for their sale and use in business as a specially adapted tool for merchandising.